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MAINE

Went Very Much as it Did Once

For Gov. Kent.

The Returns from the Pine Tree State

Are Not the Sort to be Relished by the Old Time Democrats

Although an Unusual Number of Democrats Have Been Elected to the State Legislature—One Democratic Senator.

Portland, Me., Sept. 9.—Maine voted up a big off-year plurality for the Republicans in the election Monday, it approximating 27,000, in comparison with 12,000 for the average of other years. Complete returns will be very late owing to the remoteness of many towns. The legislature, while as usual strongly Republican, will have an uncommon number of Democratic members, some of the strongest Republican towns of the state sending representatives of that party. The senate will have one Democrat in 37 members, J. M. Staples of Knox county. The congressional delegation will be Republican.

The city and county contests nearly all presented features, but the most interesting was that in Cumberland county of which the late Rev. Samuel Pearson was sheriff. The snarly fight was won by Pennell (Dem.) by 1,000 in Portland and nearly 2,000 in the county.

FAITHFUL

Followers of the Illustrious Black Cat.

Eleventh Annual Convention of Order of Hoo Hoos is in Session.

Minneapolis, Wis., Sept. 9.—This morning the ninth day of the month month of the year—found assembled at the ninth minute of the ninth hour, the faithful followers of the Great Black Cat, preparing for the eleventh annual convention of the Order of Hoo-Hoos. There were more than 200 delegates present when A. H. West of Lincoln, Neb., grand snark of the universe, called the convention to order. An address of welcome was delivered by Mayor Rose, and as the mayor of the city which is one of the greatest lumber centers in the country, he did it in a way which could leave no doubt in the minds of the visitors that they were welcome. After brief opening exercises the convention met behind closed doors. The reports showed the order in excellent financial condition, with a rapidly growing membership, particularly in Texas, Oklahoma and the southwest.

SWIFT JUSTICE

Is Given Negro Brute who Attempted Assault.

Grades, Ga., Sept. 9.—Bill Mobley, a negro, was lynched near Wenonah last night. The negro attempted to assault a white girl aged 13. Her screams attracted the attention of a man coming home from the field and he went to the child's rescue. The negro was captured, and on the way to the jail he was taken by the mob and lynched. The corps was left slaying from the limb with a written warning tied around the neck.

SATISFACTORY

Advance in the Central Valley Corn Belt.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 9.—The weekly crop report says maturing crops have made generally favorable but not rapid advancement in central valleys and lake regions. In the corn belt, crops have made very satisfactory advance.

FEEBLE

PARSON

Was Found This Morning Still Grasping Weapon with Which He Cut His Wife's Throat, Causing Death.

Dunlow, W. Va., Sept. 9.—Rev. Morris Wilson, the gray haired parson of eighty years, who at Genoa, on Saturday morning last, drew a razor across the throat of his wife, inflicting fatal injuries, while in the other hand he held his bible open to Hebrews 9-22: "Without the shedding of blood there can be no remission of sin," was found in the wood-lands two miles from his home this morning. When discovered he was asleep and grasped in his hand was the razor with which the horrible deed was committed. When aroused he could hardly speak and he was so feeble that he had to be assisted to his feet. Not a mouthful of nourishment had he taken since the commission of the crime. The old man will not be taken to jail as every indication points to insanity. He is the best known preacher in this section.

SILENCE TO THE END

Was Stipulated in the Solemn Oath Taken by the St. Louis Council-mainc Gang of Boodlers.

ST. LOUIS, MO., SEPT. 9.—THE RETURN FROM MEXICO, OF JOHN K. MURRELL, A MEMBER OF THE 1900, HOUSE OF DELEGATES "COMBINE" AND HIS FULL CONFESSION OF THE PART HE AND THE OTHER MEMBERS PLAYED IN THE BOODLING OF THAT "COMBINE," HAVE LED UP TO 10 O'CLOCK THIS MORNING, TO THE ARREST OF NINE MEN FOR WHOM BENCH WARRANTS, WERE ISSUED MONDAY. NINE OTHERS ARE STILL AT LARGE BUT EVERY AVENUE OUT OF THE CITY IS GUARDED AND NONE WILL ESCAPE.

THE MEMBERS OF THE CORRUPT CONSPIRACY GANG MADE SOLEMN OATHS TO ALWAYS VOTE TOGETHER AND NEVER TO DISSEMINATE TRANSACTIONS. "UNDER THE MOST CONDICTION PUNISHMENT EVEN UNTO DEATH, SO HELP ME GOD."

MISSOURI BOYS IN GRAY

Meet in Annual Reunion as They Have Done Since the War.

St. Joseph, Mo., Sept. 9.—The annual state reunion of the United Confederate Veterans is being held here. St. Joseph gave a hearty welcome to the hundreds of visitors and veterans. Hotels and boarding houses are crowded and in point of attendance, the gathering is one of the largest of its kind ever held by the state organization. While the number of veterans is considerably decreased, the attendance of other visitors is unusually large. Today was devoted to the work of organization, and tonight there will be a mass meeting at Tootle theatre with a programme of music and addresses by several ex-Confederates of wide prominence. The annual parade takes place tomorrow and promises to be a big affair.

CRACKED SAFE

And Walked Off With Post-office Money.

Creston, O., Sept. 9.—Crackmen blew the safe in the post office here this morning and got a large sum of money, and stamps. Dr. P. D. Hollingsworth, living across the street, started after the robbers. They ordered him back, but the doctor opened fire with a shot gun. After firing on the doctor without effect, the robbers fled.

Live Stock Market.

Chicago, Sept. 9.—Cattle 2,500, active, steady; hogs 19,000, active, 8c higher; sheep 20,000, steady to 10c lower.

GOV. STONE

Willing to Take the Necessary Steps

Toward Ending the Strike if Legislature Will Also Take Action.

New York, Sept. 9.—This morning, Governor Stone, of Pennsylvania, when seen at his hotel, said he was not here to confer with the coal operators. He says if he were satisfied the legislature would pass a law that would be constitutional and would settle the strike, he would call a session at once. He would not discuss the strike further.

WHIP

Was Applied to the Members Who

Tried to Kick

Against the Gag Rule Applied by Nash

At a Conference of the Republican Solons Held Yesterday.

They Were Given Orders as to What Course to Pursue and the Nash Bill Will Pass.

Columbus, Sept. 9.—The actual consideration of the Nash bill, section by section, was begun by the senate in committee of the whole this morning, and it is the general belief that the bill will be passed before the end of next week. Hearings, such as have been held since the opening of the special session, will continue this week in the afternoons and evenings, but the mornings at least will be devoted to general discussions in committee of the whole.

At a conference the Republican members of the senate voted almost solidly to support Nash code. No bar was placed in the way of amendments which any senator may desire to offer, and the agreement reached simply means that the bill prepared by the governor and his advisers will be the basis of the measure which is to receive the votes of a majority of the members of the upper house.

Said Senator Longworth: "I think we will pass the governor's code in time to adjourn about Sept. 25. The governor's bill is the only one under serious consideration, and the only one in the senate. Of course it will be modified, and perhaps in some important features, but it will be the basis of whatever is passed. I don't look for any change on the subject of franchises from what is in the governor's bill."

The house code committee devoted part of its time to the hearing of representatives of public libraries of various cities of the state. All those who presented arguments urged that the present laws relative to the management and control of libraries, with some slight modifications, be allowed to stand. The sentiment of all the speakers was that libraries should be under the direction and control of nonpartisan boards, to be appointed by the mayor, the council, or, preferably, the board of education.

Representatives of municipal boards of health also claimed the committee's attention. Without a single exception all of those who appeared recommended that the health departments be placed under the supervision of the board of public safety. The Nash code invests the board of public service with these powers. It was further suggested at the hearing that the Comings health code, enacted at the last session of the legislature, be substituted for the health provisions of the Nash bill. Strong arguments were presented for the incorporation of strict merit provisions in this section of the code.

Representative Guerin has offered, before the house committee on municipal code, an amendment that he will ask to have incorporated in any code that passes. In effect it provides for arbitration and makes it a part of the contract of the city or county with a company to whom a franchise for a public utility has been granted.

CHAMPIONSHIP

Of the West is Being Played For in Chicago.

Chicago, Ill., Sept. 8.—The fourth annual championship tournament of the Western Golf Association began today on the links of the Chicago Golf Club and will continue until Saturday. The winner in the competition will be the Western amateur champion golfer for the year, and his club shall have the custody of the George B. Thorne trophy until the next annual championship meeting. Today's play was devoted to a thirty-six hole medal score qualifying round. The participants include some of the best amateur players in this part of the country and an unusually successful tournament is expected.

ACCUSED HIS WIFE

Of Being Untrue and Decided to Murder Her But the Woman Preferred to Do the Killing Herself.

New York, Sept. 9.—Angered because he accused her of receiving the attentions of another man, Mrs. Ida Oneil shot her husband, Charles Oneil, this morning and then turned the weapon on herself. The woman died instantly, while the husband lived long enough to tell the circumstances of the shooting. The couple had a quarrel in their apartments in the New York Fruit Exchange building, where Oneil was superintendent. The police this morning found letters written by Oneil which showed that he intended to kill his wife and himself. The woman evidently learned of his intention and determined to do the shooting herself.

CERTAIN VICTORY

Will Result for Democrats Because of Attitude Toward Trusts.

NEW YORK, SEPT. 9.—SENATOR JAMES K. JONES OF ARKANSAS, CHAIRMAN OF THE DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL COMMITTEE, IS IN THIS CITY TODAY. HE SAID: "THE COAL STRIKE IN PENNSYLVANIA IS CLEARLY DEMONSTRATING TO THE PEOPLE WHAT THE TRUSTS REALLY ARE. IT HAS NEVER BEEN SHOWN SO CLEARLY BEFORE, EVEN IN THE INSTANCE OF THE BEEF TRUST. THERE IS NO DOUBT IN MY MIND THAT THIS STRIKE WILL HAVE THE EFFECT OF ELECTING MANY DEMOCRATIC CONGRESSMEN. IT MAY MEAN, AND I THINK IT WILL, A DEMOCRATIC HOUSE. THE EFFECT WILL BE FELT TO THE DEMOCRATIC ADVANTAGE IN EVERY STATE IN THE UNION."

THROAT

Of a Woman Was Cut From Ear to Ear.

A Murder Startles the Little Town of Hubbard, O.

Dead Woman's Husband Disappears at Time of the Murder and is Being Diligently Hunted by the Officials.

Youngstown, O., Sept. 9.—Mrs. Charles McGinn, living at New Castle, Pennsylvania, was murdered this morning at Hubbard, Ohio. Her body, with the throat cut from ear to ear, was found in a field. She had been visiting an uncle. There had been a quarrel. The husband, who was with her, disappeared during the evening with his wife. He is still missing and the officers are looking for him.

PIERP. MORGAN

Brings the Governor to Consult with Him.

New York, Sept. 9.—Despite the denials it is known that Gov. Stone, of Pennsylvania, went to the steel trust offices this morning. It is believed he is conferring with J. P. Morgan on the coal strike.

STRENUOUS TEDDY

Enjoys the Hospitality of the Billionaire.

Asheville, N. C., Sept. 9.—The President's train pulled out of the siding at Hot Springs, N. C., where the President had spent a most restful night, at 7 o'clock. Asheville, the famous health resort, of Blue Ridge, the seat of Vanderbilt's Billmore, was reached on schedule time at 8:30.

OIL FUEL

From all Points of View will be Fully Discussed

At the Convention of the Traveling Engineer's Association.

Chicago, Ill., Sept. 9.—The Traveling Engineers' Association began its tenth annual convention at the Stratford Hotel today with a good attendance of members representing the leading railroad systems of the United States and Canada. The sessions of the convention will continue several days, and a wide range of subjects relating to the branch of railroading represented by the members of the association will be discussed. Among other things the advantages and disadvantages of oil fuel locomotives will be exhaustively considered.

INTO A DITCH

Went the Big Four's Fastest Express Train.

Mattoon, Ill., Sept. 9.—The exposition limited, the fastest train on the Big Four system, went into the ditch as it whirled by here this morning. Three passengers were injured. The exact extent of their wounds have not yet been ascertained. It is not known whether any of them is fatally hurt. The wreck was caused by a damaged inter-locker.

CUBAN BANDITS

Are Overrunning the Island, Defying Officers.

Havana, Sept. 9.—Cuban bandits are overrunning the entire island, defying the government rural guard in every province, kidnapping and hiding planters and country merchants or their children, and the island is in a state of terror.

BUNCH

Of Americans Were Among Those at

Kaiser's Table

In the Bran New Palace at Potsdam.

The Military Men Who Witnessed Maneuvers of the Army

Were Invited, to Give Them a Good Chance to Wear Their Sleigh Bells and Fur-below.

Berlin, Sept. 9.—Emperor William entertained 110 guests at dinner in the new palace at Potsdam. His majesty's guests were nearly all visitors who have come to attend the maneuvers, and they included Major Generals Henry C. Corbin and Samuel B. M. Young and Brigadier General Wood, United States army. After dinner the emperor mingled freely with his guests and engaged the American generals in a half hour's conversation. He again expressed his very high appreciation of the manner in which his brother, Admiral Prince Henry of Prussia had been treated in the United States, spoke of his admiration for President Roosevelt, and said he fervently thanked God for having spared the life of the president at the time of the Pittsfield accident. Electric cars, continued his majesty, are the enemies of humanity. He referred to the number of persons who have been killed or injured by electric cars in the streets of Berlin.

MONKEYS

Are all Forgotten in the Newport Whirl

In Order that Fido in all His Glory May be a Howling Success.

Newport, R. I., Sept. 9.—The auto-rats of the canine kingdom had tricks pretty much their own way at the Casino today. The shows of the Rhode Island Kennel Club are always well worth witnessing, but the present one is more interesting than any of the previous ones, the exhibits including the pets of all the wealthy Newport cottagers. Among the winners were distributed this afternoon, the trophies offered by the Ladies' Kennel Association of America, and other organizations of dog fanciers.

HELPED

Officers Bind Him in Electric Chair.

One of the Coolest Acts in the Annals of Crime.

John Best, a Condemned Murderer, Does What He Can in Electric Chair to Assist in Sending Him to Death.

Boston, Sept. 9.—At 12:22 o'clock this morning John C. Best, was put to death by electricity at the Charleston state prison, paying the penalty for the murder of George B. Bailey, of Saugur, nearly two years ago. He maintained his coolness to the last, walking to the chair unassisted, and even aiding so far as he could, in the binding of his limbs. He uttered no word and was apparently unconcerned.

The Weather.

Washington, Sept. 9.—Ohio, fair, cooler tonight, possibly light frost; W. Maryland, fair, continued cool.

Grain and Pork.

Chicago, Sept. 9.—Closing September wheat 71½; corn 87½; oats 41½; pork 16.75.

INDIANA OPERATIONS

Of Recent Date are Productive of Several First Rate Wells.

Grant County is Still at the Head of the List of Oil Producing Counties—Late Work in the Indiana Field.

The Grant county field continues to furnish wells of better than the ordinary productiveness, and eastern operators have of late been obtaining a major share of the good things. The Oil City Oil & Gas Co., made up of four interests of Oil City, Pa., has completed a well on the west end of the Michael property, section 22, Center township east of the Marion Soldiers Home, and has another splendid prospect in its first 24 hours' gauge showing an output of 100 barrels. The first well drilled at this company on the Michael was also a 100-barrel producer.

Bill & A. Levee, also from the Pennsylvania centers of the oil industry, have completed their No. 9 well on the Henry Swartz farm, section 15 Center township and have another good producer in its first 24 hours' gauge showing an output of 75 barrels. Kahle Bros. & Gray drilled in their No. 1 on the Goltzheim farm, also in section 15 Center, and got a 15-barrel producer.

In Franklin township, Siederman & Stender have completed their first well on the A. Norton lot, section 1, and have a 30-barrel producer. The No. 1 well drilled by Peter Stabler on the Burger & Nickles property, section 12 Franklin, was a 20-barrel producer.

Cheerful Mann & Stranahan, of Lima, completed the fourth well on their property on section 12 and have a 10-barrel producer.

The Republic Iron & Steel Co. No. 2 well on section 12 resulted in a 10-barrel well.

In Mill township, J. E. Chouhara has a 100-barrel producer just completed in his No. 1 on the Fred Schrock farm, section 22.

Along the lower line of Washington township in section 24, the American Window Glass company's No. 5 well on the Nora Hawkins farm was another good producer. Its initial output having been 60 barrels. The Southwestern Petroleum Co. and others completed No. 7 on the P. & M. E. Howard farm, section 25 Washington, and have a 40-barrel producer. In section 26 of Adams township, the Benson Oil Co. No. 3 on the Phil Matter farm was good for 30 barrels at the start.

Just in Fairmount township, the Fairview Glass company, third well on the E. S. Shuler property, section 5, which was previously reported as showing for a good producer, has brightened prospects for an oil development in that neighborhood. There are a number of dusters which will have to give way to more good wells before it can be said that the connecting link between Grant and Madison county work has been found. The latest well completed made 60 barrels the first 24 hours after shot.

Good Wells in Blackford.
The Ohio Oil company has just completed one of the best wells found in the Blackford county field in some time. Their test on the D. O. & L. Fulton farm, section 2 Washington township, making 125 barrels in the first 24 hours after shot. On the S. A. Gilmer farm, same section and township, the Ohio No. 1 produced 25 barrels the first day. Another completed by the same company in section 12, their No. 6 on the J. J. Huffman farm was a 5-barrel producer.

D. T. Sherbondy & Co. have completed two small wells in this township. No. 4 on the C. H. & A. M. Bugh, section 24, making 15 barrels the first 24 hours, while No. 4, C. & Z. Bugh, section 25, was good for only 5 barrels.

In Harrison township, the Ohio Oil company's No. 6, T. Tewberry section 2, was a 20-barrel producer, and H. C. Zuppler's No. 1, C. Q. Shull, section 10, was very light producing only 5 barrels in 24 hours after shot.

A LUCKY STRIKE.

Ohio Oil Company Drills in Another Big Well.

The Ohio Oil company is the first to tap of another good well in Adams county. Its No. 7 on the F. R. Murphy farm, section 23, Jackson township, producing 125 barrels in 24 hours after shot. Three others have been completed in Jackson township by this company. No. 7, on the S. J. Gibson farm, section 11, making 10 barrels in 24 hours, and No. 1, J. W. Walsh, section 11, producing nothing better than salt water to date.

Two wells drilled by other parties in this township were dry, one being A. Noble & Co. No. 21, on the S. H. McGraw farm, section 20, and the other, the No. 7 well drilled by the

Corvin Oil & Sherbondy on the C. V. Biggs farm, section 22.

In Nottingham township, the late completions have all been small, the Ohio Oil company, owning four out of five new wells. The No. 3 Amos Williams, section 9, drilled by this company produced 25 barrels the first 24 hours. No. 2, John Henley, section 19, was a 20-barrel, No. 6, Jacob A. Warner, section 26, made 45 barrels at the start, and No. 1, Cary Lemplin, section 24, was a salt water producer. Shepperd, Reed & Clark completed No. 10 well on the J. S. Shepperd farm, section 8 and have a 30-barrel producer.

In Chester township, the East Side Bank Oil company has completed four wells on as many farms in section 31, the best producer of the lot making only 25 barrels by the first 24 hours' gauge. Their No. 1, J. Speare, started off at this rate; No. 9, D. Sills made 15 barrels. No. 1, J. Gilbert was also a 15-barrel, and No. 1, A. C. Clark, was very light producing only 2 barrels the first day in section 10, Chester. L. H. Shelby's No. 1, on the Wm. Merritt farm, produced 25 barrels the first 24 hours.

LIMA PARTIES

Are Among the Fortunate Operators in Adams County.

In Adams county, McKisson & Argue have a splendid producer in their No. 7 well on the H. Fogle farm, section 30 Jefferson township, its first day's gauge showing a production of 120 barrels. The Bellevue Oil company has another good well on the J. H. Hunsaker or Funkhouser lease, section 1 Jefferson, their No. 4, making 60 barrels the first day.

In Wabash township, the Darty Oil company's No. 9 on the Charles Armstrong farm, section 37, produced 50 barrels the first 24 hours after shot. W. P. Black & Co., completed a test on the W. C. Feltz farm, section 27, which was good for 45 barrels the first day. The Shepperd Oil company's No. 5, on the D. Bonner farm, section 30, goes into the duster class.

A Bunch of Good Ones.

The Troy Oil company certainly has some of the best leases in the Adams county field in section 22, Jefferson township, Huntington county, the late wells being up to and above the high standard of productiveness set for that property. On the S. Lee farm there have been two wells completed which are excellent producers. No. 3, making 90 barrels the first day and No. 4, doing 120 barrels. On the U. A. Gundy farm, No. 6 well produced 95 barrels the first 24 hours after shot—holding up to the same figures as every well previously completed on this farm.

In section 29, Jefferson, the Central Oil company's No. 5 on the W. A. Cramer farm started producing at the rate of 60 barrels.

The distant test well drilled by the Huntington Light & Fuel company on the John W. Bond farm, section 26 of Wayne township, Huntington, made 25 barrels the first day. This was a good well drilled deeper and was a very important well.

In Salamone township, the Southwestern Petroleum company has completed a test on the H. Mallone farm, section 30, which had a light show of oil after the shot, but has been pumping salt water to date.

Various Indiana Wells.

In Penn township of Jay county, Tuttle & So. have a good producer in their No. 10, on the M. E. Martin farm, section 5, its first day's gauge showing an output of 75 barrels.

The test well drilled by the Bloomington Oil company on the P. Harry farm, section 24 Liberty township, Delaware county, has been completed and is dry, with only a small showing of gas. This well was quite a distance from oil production but does not necessarily condemn the possible extension of the industry to that portion of the gas fields. In the Broad Ripple field, the Loonotee Prospecting company has completed No. 7 well on the Joseph Cannon farm, section 30, Perry township, Martin county, and has even a 10-barrel producer. New wells come so seldom in this territory that even a 10-barrel well will make quite an impression on the county's standing at the end of the month.

OIL MARKET.

Texas oil \$1.37
Penn. oil 1.22
Barnesville oil73
Somerset oil73
Corning oil 1.05
New Castle oil97
North Lima oil89

Constipation

Headache, biliousness, heartburn, indigestion, and all liver ills are cured by

Hood's Pills

Sold by all druggists. 25 cents.

South Lima oil44
Indiana oil44
White House oil92
Lacy oil78

H. Ganner Salve

doesn't cure your piles, your money will be returned. It is the most healing salve.

H. F. Vorkamp, corner Main and North streets.

Bartholin's Body.

Chicago, Sept. 9.—All doubt as to complete identification of the body of William J. Bartholin, found in a flax field near Riceville, Iowa, was dispelled when Dr. H. C. Waach, Bartholin's dentist, declared that the crown and bridge work on the teeth and lower jawbone which was taken from the body had been put in Bartholin's mouth by him six years ago.

Down a Shaft.

Joplin, Mo. Sept. 9.—Three men were killed near here. Outside of Joplin Joseph Brookshire, an ex-councilman of this city, and Harry Smith, a miner, were killed by falling down a shaft at the Tennessee mine. At Lindon, Royal Wood, a miner, lost his life at the Chapman shaft by being struck by a cage.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hatchett.

Frankfort, Ky. Sept. 9.—Mrs. Elizabeth Harlan Hatchett, widow of Dr. J. G. Hatchett, former postmaster of Frankfort, and sister of Justice John M. Harlan of the United States supreme court, is dead. She was 75 years of age. The body will be interred in the state cemetery here.

Indians in a Scrap.

Wichita, Kan., Sept. 9.—Returning from a circus at Perry, O. T., 60 Otoe and Pawnee Indians got into a quarrel on a northbound Santa Fe passenger train and a pistol fight ensued. One Indian was killed and Conductor Fennell was so seriously wounded that he probably will die.

An Old Grudge.

Knoxville, Sept. 9.—Neil Overton, a member of a prominent family of Claiborne county, Tenn., was shot to death by Eli Breeden in a blind tiger at Cumberland Gap. An old grudge was the cause of the shooting.

Killed Himself.

St. Louis, Sept. 9.—Mrs. E. P. Johnson, a woman suffragist, committed suicide at her home here. Insanity, which is supposed to have resulted from the late of a mad dog, is believed to have led to the suicide.

Snow on Lake Superior.

Duluth, Sept. 9.—Masters of incoming vessels at this port report snow on Lake Superior, the first of the season. Flurries of snow are believed to have been quite general on the eastern end of Lake Superior.

Czarina Recovering.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 9.—It is officially announced that the czarina has passed the critical period of her recent miscarriage.

THE MARKETS.

Grain and Stock Prices for Sept. 8.
Chicago. Cattle. Good to prime steers, \$7.75 to \$8.00; poor to medium, \$4.00 to \$5.00; hogs, \$6.00 to \$6.50; sheep, \$4.00 to \$4.50; corn, \$1.00 to \$1.05; wheat, \$1.00 to \$1.05; oats, \$1.00 to \$1.05; barley, \$1.00 to \$1.05; clover, \$1.00 to \$1.05; timothy, \$1.00 to \$1.05; alfalfa, \$1.00 to \$1.05; hay, \$1.00 to \$1.05; straw, \$1.00 to \$1.05; wood, \$1.00 to \$1.05; coal, \$1.00 to \$1.05; oil, \$1.00 to \$1.05; sugar, \$1.00 to \$1.05; flour, \$1.00 to \$1.05; cotton, \$1.00 to \$1.05; wool, \$1.00 to \$1.05; rubber, \$1.00 to \$1.05; leather, \$1.00 to \$1.05; glass, \$1.00 to \$1.05; paper, \$1.00 to \$1.05; brick, \$1.00 to \$1.05; stone, \$1.00 to \$1.05; lime, \$1.00 to \$1.05; cement, \$1.00 to \$1.05; iron, \$1.00 to \$1.05; steel, \$1.00 to \$1.05; tin, \$1.00 to \$1.05; zinc, \$1.00 to \$1.05; copper, \$1.00 to \$1.05; nickel, \$1.00 to \$1.05; silver, \$1.00 to \$1.05; gold, \$1.00 to \$1.05; platinum, \$1.00 to \$1.05; diamonds, \$1.00 to \$1.05; pearls, \$1.00 to \$1.05; 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Mark Hanna is now in Columbus playing the part of a lobbyist and trying to put through the "wise, economic and patriotic" Republican legislature his scheme for a perpetual franchise for his street railway in Cleveland.

The council had a warm session last night over the question of fire and water. What the people of Lima want is as quick action in the water works proposition as is consistent with proper legislation and good work. There should be no unnecessary delay in the matter whatever.

The statement made in council last night that the C. H. & D. railroad people would expend \$10,000 on the shops in Lima provided an adequate water supply is furnished this city is significant and demonstrates how much depends upon prompt action in the matter of construction in the new water works reservoir.

A telegram from Columbus states that William J. Bryan has been invited to deliver a number of speeches in Ohio during the coming campaign, a number of which will be heard in the fourth congressional district. This information will be gratifying to the many Ohio friends of the eloquent Nebraskan.

It is announced that Mr. Roosevelt will call an extra session of the senate of November 11th to ratify a reciprocity treaty with Cuba, and also a treaty which will embody the essential features of the Platt amendment. It is also promised that there will be a bit of tariff revision after the elections. The elections will take place prior to November 11. It is significant that every hope held out by Republican leaders depends upon what the party will do "after the election."—The Commonwealth.

CIVILIZATION DISGRACED.

Some of the stories told in connection with the visit of the shah of Persia to England are undoubtedly inventions, but there are enough authentic anecdotes to show that the present ruler of Persia is no more desirable as a guest than was his late father. He is simply an oriental barbarian, with all the vices of the orient and very few of the virtues.

Nevertheless, we see a royal duke delegated to escort him around Lon-

don and he is invited to society functions. There, from all accounts, he conducted himself in such a manner that had he been anyone but a monarch he would have been promptly kicked into the street. In France the government takes pains to make his visit agreeable. If he goes to Russia, as he probably will, there will be doings that will throw the British and French entertainments in the shade. Everyone is at great pains to conciliate an individual who, on his merits, ought to be wearing a ball and chain.

It is a question how long civilization will continue to stultify itself by proceedings like these. There must come a time when the people of great Christian nations will demand that an end be put to the honoring of greasy, licentious scoundrels simply because they are the nominal rulers of so-called "buffer" states.

The present system of truckling to creatures like the shah and the Turkish sultan is a disgrace to Christian civilization.—Chicago Chronicle

WHY DID ROOSEVELT FORGET?

There are Republicans who warmly criticize President Roosevelt's spectacular trip through Ohio last Saturday. It is not regarded as a fitting observance of the first anniversary of the assassination of President McKinley.

The president has started out on a protracted tour to stir up political enthusiasm in various sections of the country, and his transit of Ohio was certainly ill timed.

September 6, 1901, is a date in history not likely to be soon forgotten in Ohio. One would naturally expect that none would have a more vivid recollection of the day than Mr. Roosevelt, who was elevated to the presidency by the Buffalo tragedy. It was the fateful day which Mr. Roosevelt might well remember as the pivot on which his own fate turned. Has he become so puffed up with vain glory that he could for a moment forget the gruesome crime that made him the nation's chief magistrate?

One indication that his memory partially failed him was his trip across the state which had the greatest pride in the martyred president just exactly one year from the day Mr. McKinley was stricken down. President Roosevelt's itinerary does not disclose that he had any particular object in view except to reach Kentucky to resume his stumping tour. If he had no greater regard as the incumbent of the presidential chair for the tragic day than to sweep through the land on a political mission, could he not at least have had more respect for the day than to have traversed McKinley's state? Surely he could have reached Kentucky by some other route.

But this is not the worst feature of Mr. Roosevelt's offending. In the speech he made at the Union depot he said: "I am reminded that it is just a year ago today that President McKinley was assassinated." Then followed a tribute to the martyred president.

Who reminded President Roosevelt that it was the anniversary of the crime which made him president? Of what had he been thinking when he passed through Zanesville and Newark and rushing on to the capital of Ohio that he did not recall the day and its associations without being prompted? "I am reminded"—verily then he had forgotten, he of all men who should remember with reverence and respect.

"Upon what meat doth this our Caesar feed That he is grown so great?"

—Columbus Press.

George Dixon Defeated.

London, Sept. 9.—Pedlar Palmer, English, defeated George Dixon, American, in a 15-round bout at the National Athletic club for \$500 a side and a purse of \$500. Dixon was the favorite at odds of 5 to 4, but after the second round Palmer showed such smartness that the odds turned in his favor. Dixon seemed quite unable to cope with the Englishman although in the twelfth round when Palmer's hands were rather damaged, he made a determined effort, which he kept up until the end. But he could not offset Palmer's big lead. Points received early in the contest. Dixon seemed to have lost much of his old-time hitting power. Both men were loudly applauded. Four-ounce gloves were used and the weight limit of the fight was 120 pounds.

Children Burned.

Aurora, Ill., Sept. 9.—Edna, the only child of G. D. Cheatham and Mary daughter of Fred Lilly, each four years, were burned to death while playing in a barn. Mr. Lilly's son, who is supposed to have set the fire, gave the alarm. Although the fire was beyond control when discovered, the bodies were secured before they were burned beyond identification. A horse also was burned.

Dressed chickens at Townsend's.

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And a Sleeping Car May be Added to Meet the Demand—Hundreds of New Cars Have Been Ordered.

The Pennsylvania special No. 28, was made up entirely of new cars just out of the Pullman shops yesterday. This train consisted of two sleepers, a combination smoking and baggage car and a diner. In appointments it has no superior in the world and but few equals. It is reported that the "special" will add a sleeper in the near future, so great is the demand for accommodations on the train.

The September Number.

The C. H. & D. magazine is out for September in a new and neat golf-girly cover with the ugly mug of a bull dog in striking contrast with the Gibson features. Inside the cover is a budget of good short stories, sketches and bubbling verse. The half-tone likeness of men in officialdom have been discontinued, perhaps because the gallery of celebrities has been exhausted.

Caught the Jumper.

Frank Huston, the young fellow who escaped from the Sidney marshal by leaping from a C. H. & D. passenger train when it was going 40 miles an hour, was captured yesterday at Rosewood and will serve the intended 10 days at the Dayton work house for having a liver. He and abandoning it.

New Cars Ordered.

The Pennsylvania railroad company has placed an order for the construction of 1500 new freight cars, the most of which will be of 100,000 pounds capacity. The remainder of 50,000 and 90,000 pounds. The order calls for the delivery within six months. The small cars having 25,000 to 50,000 pounds capacity will be made up with only one third track room will be needed.

General Notes.

Passenger train No. 4 on the L. E. A. N. track and was half an hour late yesterday afternoon on account of a long string of Lake Shore coaches attached to the car that were being taken back to Fremont and Sandusky. They had been used for the Indiana excursion to Cedar Point.

A new target has been installed at the crossing of the tracks of the Lake Erie and Western and the Findlay Ft. Wayne and Western at West Luk.

PERSONAL MENTION.

President C. M. Overly, of the city council, accompanied by Mrs. Overly and their daughter, left today to spend a two weeks' vacation at Fulton, Mich., and other points of interest in the north.

There will be a business meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30 of Trinity Epworth league.

Chauncey F. Lufkin came home last night from his trip into Massachusetts and will leave tonight on a journey into Indiana territory.

Miss Helen Moore and Miss Pearl Grosjean left yesterday for Roanoke, Va., where they will attend school. They were accompanied by Mrs. Grosjean.

Mrs. W. F. Garver, of Des Moines, is the guest of Mrs. S. M. Moore.

Ed. Wise has purchased the shoe store at one time conducted by W. H. Niece, and later known as the Lima Shoe company.

Mrs. M. E. Duggan, of south Main street, has returned from a visit with friends in Cleveland and Sandusky.

Miss Mayme McComb and little nephew, Dwight Stineman, have returned from a two weeks visit with friends in Columbus Grove.

Ben Leopold and Miss Millie Brinkman of Ottawa, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. J. Dimond.

Mrs. Margaret Durbin, of Akron, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. D. F. Finn, of north Elizabeth street.

Miss Regenia Longweil and Miss Anna Helenkamp, of Delphos, are the guests of Mrs. Chas. Dimond and Miss Jennie Kenner.

Every time a woman sees a piece in the paper about the mean actions of a certain man, she thinks it was her husband.

A woman has to ask her friends' permission to wear a new style hat, and her husband's permission to buy



SCHOOL DAYS ARE HERE.

That boy of yours will need a suit. Our Children's department has been brightened up with all the new ideas in LITTLE BOYS' SUITS. The most particular buyers will find what they want here. The many different styles such as the "The Sailor Norfolk," "The Norfolk," "The Blouse Suits," "The Sirdar," and the popular "Two Button Double Breasted," are all shown in different patterns of goods, strictly all wool.

Michael's Juvenile Department

Has always borne the reputation as being UP-TO-DATE in every detail, and anything that is new you will find here. In connection with our splendid line of little boys' suits, we wish to mention our

School Shoes for Boys and Girls.

Shoes that will stand the wear and tear at popular prices.



'The Home of the Stylish Suits.'



INTRENCHMENTS

Erected at Colon in Expectation of an Insurgent Attack

Colon, Colombia, Sept. 9.—Over 1000 government troops were sent yesterday to Colon from Panama to erect intrenchments. The intrenchments are located at Monkey Hill, a mountain on the railroad and other points in expectation of an insurgent attack. The gunboat Boyaca which was captured by the insurgents from the government, has been seen mobilizing troops under the command of the insurgent general Herrera in the direction of Panama. Colonel Grueso, prefect of Colon, has been raised to the rank of general and expects to take the field should the insurgents attack the isthmus.

Must Use Soft Coal.

Washington, Sept. 9.—The contractor who furnishes coal for the war department notified Chief Clerk Scofield that he no longer could obtain anthracite coal. He said if the department could obtain anthracite he would pay the difference between the contract price and the price the department would have to pay. Officers of the department say they can not obtain coal, and are about to purchase bituminous coal. A local law prohibits black smoke in the District of Columbia, and officers of the war department are in some doubt whether the law applies to buildings used by the government.

Alpine Accidents.

Vienna, Sept. 9.—There were three fatal Alpine accidents Sunday. Three members of the Vienna Social and Touring club, while ascending the Rax Alps, lost their way. Two of the climbers fell a distance of 600 feet and were killed. The third member of the party, who survived, was obliged to stand upright upon a narrow ledge of rock from noon of Sunday until 10 o'clock Monday when he was rescued. A maker of musical instruments, while on a climbing expedition fell and broke his neck on the Klettersteig, near Vienna. The death record on the Rax Alps for the present season has now reached the total of 24 persons.

Slain by Friends.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Sept. 9.—Two Italian striking miners named Frank Portay and Sirtino Van Castelli left their homes in Swegerville, near here, to go on a hunting trip. As they approached the Henry C. colliery they were held up by the pickets who mistook them for armed nonunion men going to work. The pickets at once attacked the Italians. Van Castelli was shot in leg and his brains beaten out with stones and clubs. His companion, Portay, was knocked down, his gun was taken away from him and then his assailants beat him

Fall House Cleaning



With All Its Worries Will Soon be Here. We Were Never so Well Prepared to Care For Your Wants in

Carpets, Rugs, Linoleums

As now. Our stock is the most complete to be found in Lima. Quality of goods the best. Prices the lowest.

The Newson-Bond Co.,

LARGEST STORE IN LIMA.

with clubs, so that his life is despaired of.

Thief Escaped With Jewels.

Chicago, Sept. 9.—Surprised while looking the residence of Paty King, a wealthy bookmaker, a negro thief leaped over the banisters of the stairs from the second story to the ground floor and made his escape with more than \$4,000 worth of jewels. The robbery occurred while Mrs. King, her sister and children, were at breakfast.

Boy Suicides.

Muscatoine, Iowa, Sept. 9.—Because the grandparents of 14-year-old Harvey Applegate, an orphan, insisted that he start to school, the boy who had expressed a wish to become a farmer, blew out his brains at his home in Montezuma.

Jealous Man's Deed.

Omaha, Sept. 9.—Peter Olsen shot and fatally wounded his sweetheart, Mary Peterson and made his escape before the police could secure him. The cause of the deed is said to have been jealousy.

Transport Sails.

Washington, Sept. 9.—The war department is advised that the transport Sherman sailed from Manila Sept. 8 for San Francisco with 95 sick, 105 casualties and 71 discharged soldiers.

Squelched by Pretender.

Madrid, Sept. 9.—Don Carlos, the Spanish pretender, has sent a letter to a Carlist deputy vigorously deprecating any attempt at a rising in the interests of Carlistism.

F—s—h at Townsend's.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that a petition will be presented to the commissioners of Allen county at their next session, December, 1908, praying for the vacation of a county road in the following line, to wit:

Beginning at a point on the north line of North street in Lima, Ohio, eleven (11) feet west of the west line of West street in Lima, Ohio; thence in a northwesterly direction to a point at the northeast corner of lot number five (5) old number, to McComb's addition; thence east along the south line of Wayne street to a point at the north west corner of lot number eleven (11) old number in McComb's addition to Lima, Ohio; thence in a southeasterly direction on a line parallel with the first above described line, to a point in the north line of North street, said road way being sixty (60) feet in width, and passing through McComb's addition and Koss's addition to Lima, Ohio.

E. M. Gooding, Kate Ackerman, C. F. McHenry, W. R. Booth, Sarah E. Custer, James H. Marley, Sarah K. Beckerman, M. McElroy, J. B. Adkins, I. R. Longworth, J. R. Nichols, C. A. McHenry, Sept. 8-1908.

ONE

Proof of the City's Growth

Is the Increase

In Number of School Children.

Actual Number Cannot be Given Until All are Accounted for.

South Pine Street is Crowded and the Cry for "More Room" Still Rings in the Ears of the Board

By the way things look at this early day, the board of education will still be confronted with the question of stowing away the rising generation. Although the situation has been greatly relieved by the additions to West Spring, Elizabeth and the one undergoing construction at Shawnee, the new rooms are all comfortably filled and now there comes a report of congestion at south Pine. The year may be tied over without any great annoyance, but Lima is growing so rapidly that the board will be face to face with the building proposition for several years at the least.

Supt. Miller reported the first day's attendance last night which is just 100 more than on the opening day last year, but that doesn't begin to approach the total increase for the year as a large number of last year's scholars have not reported, fifteen being absent from a single room. Then there is a greater demand than ever for admission by new scholars who have just attained the school age or have moved to Lima with their parents.

It will be a week before the situation adjusts itself and all the children have returned from summer vacations, but at the opening of school yesterday the buildings reported the following members in attendance:

High school	242
Park building	430
West building	450
South Pine building	483
South Elizabeth building	462
Grand avenue building	366
West Spring building	405
Beeson avenue building	183
North Jefferson building	212
Shawnee building	79
Total, Sept. 8, 1902	3,047
Total, Sept. 9, 1901	2,947

Increase first day 100.

The high school is not as large as last year, which Prof. Miller explains to be due to the large graduating class of 1902. The seniors numbered 38 but this year there are but 30. The incoming class of Freshmen is a little larger but not enough to make up the difference.

There is a slight falling off at the Beeson avenue building and an increase at North Jefferson, while all of the other buildings are holding their own.

Mental vigor attends the physical energy that is produced by Hagee's Cordial with Hypophosphites of Lime and Soda. Hagee's Cordial aids food to give its full force; it makes perfect digestion; puts vim, vigor and vitality into every nerve. Hagee's Cordial is free from grease; it has all the revitalizing, reconstructive, nutritive and alterative principles of pure Norwegian cod liver oil without the grease that taxes the digestion. A thin fluid—pleasant to take.

L. O. T. M.

Lima Hive No. 43, ladies are requested to be present Wednesday evening, September 10, on business of importance. By order of Commander.

Rocky Mountain Tea braces up the whole system. Renews your lost energy. Great bowel tonic for tired and sick people.

IMPORTANT MEETING.

Thoburn's King's Daughter will hold an important business meeting on Thursday evening after prayer meeting for the purpose of settling their accounts for this year. Each member will please turn in their mite boxes and also cards.

A little life may be sacrificed to a sudden attack of croup if you don't have Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil on hand for the emergency.

WOOLEY

Bound Over to the Grand Jury This Afternoon.

Preliminary Hearing in the Alleged Criminal Assault Case Held in Mayor's Court.

The case against William Wooley, charged with an attempt to criminally assault the eleven-year-old daughter of Joseph McClain, of east Vine street, came up in mayor's court this afternoon. The little girl told substantially the same story she told officer Fenstermaker last Saturday and two or three ladies living on east Vine street testified that they saw the child go out east Vine street following closely on the heels of Wooley. The latter however testified that he was out in search of a lost dog and that while he stopped at the girl's home and made inquiry about the dog and about the child's mother he did not know if she followed him. He said he did not go into the corralled mentioned by the girl but crossed through an open field and went to the C. & E. railroad.

At 3:15 o'clock this afternoon Mayor Rogers bound the defendant over to the grand jury.

A LITTLE OUTCAST.

Production Said to be a Marvel of Stage Effects.

The biggest scenic production ever housed at the Faurot will be seen next Monday night when "A Little Outcast" comes to town. Mr. George E. Gill, the manager in an interview today, shed some light on the modern methods which have made "A Little Outcast" a nine day wonder. Says Mr. Gill, "In 'A Little Outcast' will arrive sensational astonishments in the matter of mechanical possibilities never dreamed of in the less informed days when gas instead of electricity predominated. When we want a hurricane with whirling, swirling, thunder clouds, forked lightning and torrents of rain, we have it and we have it right. In the old days when I was a youngster touring the provinces back in Merrow England, all kinds of exciting weather was brought about by the mystic aid of chopped paper 'snow' by blue gauze and canvas seas, by burning pans of sulfurous sulphur, and working a sheet of tin lined on a rope, blowing through paper funnels, and rolling dried peas in a wooden trough, occasionally enlivening this mild sort of the gods by a terrific wooden 'crash' and a streak of phosphorus blown through a blue pipe for streaked lightning. In 'A Little Outcast' when the elements are to be jarred—we press the button, and electricity does the rest, responding with more kinds of weather than the average torrent could think up to earn its salary when it and no news." Our head electrician is our wizard," said Mr. Gill, "and when, for instance, we want a grand spectacle, as in our great fire scene, the result of his knowledge is a picture which is overwhelming in its vivid realism. Huge sheets of flame belch out from the buildings and sea and sky are lighted up with billows of flame so real it is hard to realize that one is not in the presence of the real thing. 'A Little Outcast' is chuck full of modern amusements, and such indescribable achievements as the theatrical world has never imagined."

BURIED

With the Dead for Five Weary Days.

Three Men are Rescued From a Mine, More Dead Than Alive.

London, Sept. 9.—Rescuers who have been searching the ruins of the union colliery in Gloucestershire, where a disaster recently occurred, discovered three men alive and one dead body under the debris at five o'clock this morning. The men had been entombed for 120 hours, and those alive were in a pitiable condition.

Low Rates West and Northwest.

The Chicago and Erie railroad will sell one way "Settlers" and "Colonist" tickets at low rates to California, Arizona, Montana, Oregon, Washington, Utah and British Columbia points. Tickets on sale in September and October. For information, see Erie agents, or write, W. S. Morrison, T. P. A., Marion, Ohio.

WANTED

At Van Wert on Charge of Larceny.

Good Catch Made by Officer Neubrecht Today.

Captured a Colored Man for Whom the Police Have Been Watching for Several Days—Taken to Van Wert.

William Blisard, a colored man for whom the police have been watching for several days, was neatly captured this morning by officer Phil Neubrecht. Several days ago Blisard dropped into this city and after selling a necklace to a north Jackson street youth for a penny he gave the lad an overcoat which he instructed him to hold until he called for it. The matter was reported to the police by the boy's parents and about the same time they received a notice from Van Wert stating that a suit of clothes and an overcoat had been stolen there. The overcoat left on Jackson street by the colored man tallied with the description of the one stolen at Van Wert and a watch was established at the Jackson street house for the colored man. Officer Neubrecht took up the watch this morning, relieving officer Grant and Billstein and his patience was rewarded by the appearance of the colored man who called on the youth to get the overcoat and was promptly arrested.

ADD—WANTED—This afternoon the man who had been robbed and the sheriff arrived from Van Wert and identified the stolen goods.

OPENING

Exercises of Lima College Occurred This Morning.

The Regular Class Work Will be Commenced Tomorrow Morning.

The opening exercises of Lima College took place this morning at nine o'clock under the most favorable auspices since the founding of the college. Rev. Long, the president of the institution presided over the meeting and after beginning the program with a song, scripture reading, and prayer, touched upon the following words in a very pleasing and effective manner: Plan, pray, prove, prom, play and pray. These words formed the material for six distinct paragraphs.

After the opening address, Prof. and Mrs. Adams rendered two pleasing musical selections, which were highly appreciated by all; after which Prof. Assenheimer made a few remarks upon the necessity of effort to succeed in life. Dr. Ackerman then made arrangements to meet the students and teachers in their respective rooms, after which they adjourned to meet again in the morning to begin regular class work.

Finest cheese at Townsend's.

STOCKHOLDERS MEETING.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Lima Business College company will be held at the office of the said company on the 19th day of September at 8 p. m.

H. W. PEARCE, Pres.
I. F. CLEM, Sec'y.

Dressed chickens at Townsends.

RED MEN NOTICE.

All brothers of P. H. T. tribe No. 23 should be at their wigwag on next Thursday sharp, for team practice and other business of importance; also "palefaced" in the forest.

By order of Sachum.
F—l—s—h at Townsend's.

Half Rates to Des Moines.

The Erie railroad will sell round trip tickets at half rates on September 12th to 15th good for return September 22nd, to Des Moines, Iowa, for the grand lodge Independent Order of Odd Fellows. See Erie agents.

F—l—s—h at Townsend's.

Live Stock Markets.

East Liberty, Pa., Sept. 9.—Cattle light, steady; hogs light, active; sheep light, steady.

O—Y—S—T—E—R—S at Townsend's.

What has become of the old fashioned boy who held a bone as high as he could, and made his dog "speak" for it?

O—Y—S—T—E—R—S at Townsend's.

The Tasty Woman's Store.

The Lima Dry Goods Co.

Prices E. varietating. ly Lowest Here.



WE OFFER for your approval and selection a full line of the newest Autumn Dress Goods comprising style and novelty weaves in great abundance. The assortment is the best we have ever shown, which means the best ever seen in Lima. Elegant and aristocratic as these Dress Goods are, they are also reasonably priced.

We name here but a few of the many items to found in this department. You have but to crush these handsome smooth, soft fabrics in your hand to sense their worth; while the delightful hues for Autumn are both inviting and refreshing. "Surely," you will say "there is nothing lacking here."

54 inch fine quality Camel's Hair, mixtures, \$1.25 the yard.

54 inch Covert Suitings, choice colorings, 75c the yard.

27 inch very superior quality French Flannel, in plain colors, 50c the yard.

50 inch Pilot Serge, all colors, \$1.00 the yard.

54 inch Twine Melange, \$1.50 the yard.

46 inch very fine quality Zibeline, \$1.00 the yard.

54 inch Zebeline, all colors, \$1.00 the yard.

38 inch Gibson Suitings, 50c the yard.

38 inch Covert Suitings, new fall mixtures, 50c the yard.

54 inch Meltou Suiting, mixtures and hair line stripes, \$1.00 the yard.

36 inch all wool Venetian Suitings, 50c the yard.

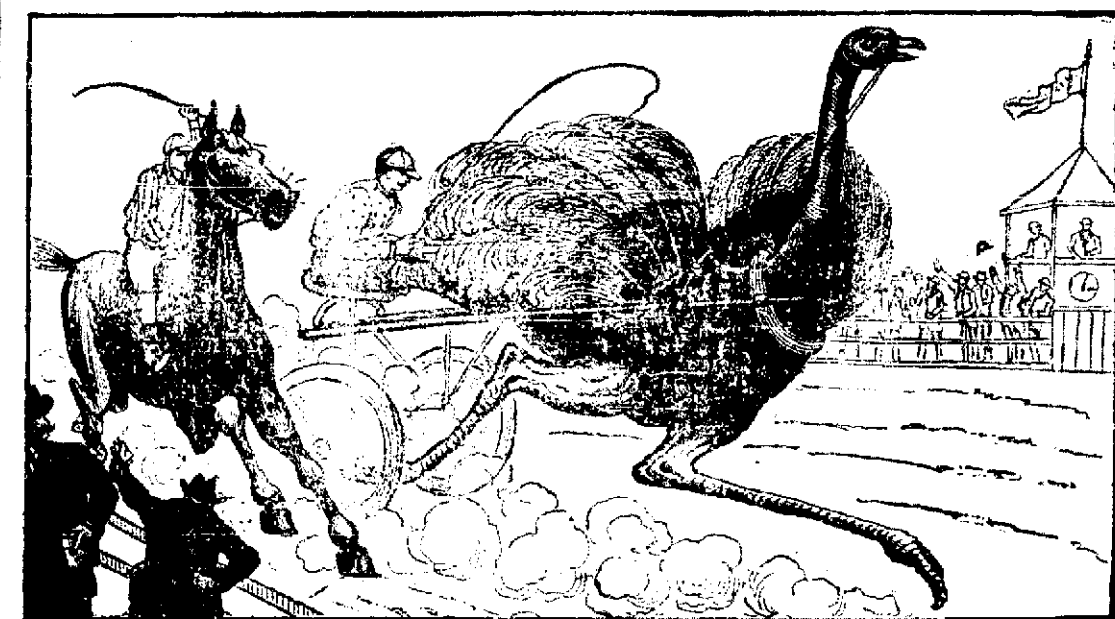
54 inch Habit Cloth, all the new popular shades, \$1.00 the yard.

36 inch all wool Aldine Suitings, all colors, 39c the yard.

233-235 North Main Street.

DON'T MISS IT.

THE OSTRICH RACE at the Big ALLEN COUNTY FAIR is one you can not afford to miss.



See the Fleet-Footed Bird Race Against a Fleet Footed Horse. Wait for the Big Event. The days are

September 23, 24, 25 and 26.

Exhibits and attractions this year are far better than previous years.

AMUSEMENTS.

James L. McCabe, in "Maloney's Wedding Day," with its uproarious comedy complications and score of particularly bright, up-to-date features, will be the attraction at the Faurot opera house tonight.

This is a wholesome comedy-drama as sweet as new-mown hay and as rich as a hickory nut in good, healthy, infectious fun. James L. McCabe as erratic "Dan Maloney" is a whole show in himself. The balance of the company includes a dozen or more other bright amusers. The plot of the play and its novel situations and its many amusing climaxes promise to make this attraction one of the most enjoyable presented here this season.

The forthcoming presentation in this city of James A. Herne's famous plays "Hearts of Oak" and "Shore Acres" is bound to be one of the events of the theatrical season. The fame of these two plays is world-wide and to the rising generation they appeal as strongly as they did to the one that preceded it, "Hearts of Oak" splendidly equipped both as to the matter of company, scenery, costumes and effects, is to be played at the Faurot post Thursday, September 11.

Dressed chicken at Townsends.

FIRE WORKS.

(Continued from 8th page.)

When the action had been taken at a previous meeting. The chair however ruled that the motion was in order. Mr. Davis then declared that the purchase of the engines was necessary; that they were needed as protection for the owners and occupants of buildings that are four and five stories high.

Mr. Sherman, a member of the fire committee, said he had learned from an inspector that fire insurance rates would be increased if the engines were not purchased.

Mr. Haller declared he had received a letter from the head of a company stating that no such statement as that made by Mr. Sherman had been made.

Mr. Shanahan said there was already one steamer at the central station and urged that the establishment of more department houses was more necessary than the purchase of engines. He said the city had good equipments but they were not sufficiently distributed.

Mr. Newton said the protection was sufficient for residence districts and that insurance rates on homes were being reduced but that the business hours and manufacturing plants

were the ones receiving the increased rates.

Mr. Haller's motion to reconsider the fire engine purchase proposition was lost and the controversy seemed closed but it was immediately precipitated again by the representative of a Cincinnati fire engine manufacturing concern who wanted to know when bids on engines would be opened. He was informed that bids would be received after the funds were at hand to make a purchase. This gave Mr. Shanahan an opening and he made some reference to the fire committee's junket to Milwaukee and other cities. Mr. Newton replied that the committee had gone on invitation but had left the entire question of making purchases in the hands of the council.

Mr. Smith thought an engine should be tested here before being purchased. Mr. Sherman said the trip of the fire committee hadn't cost the city a cent.

Mr. Smith moved to adjourn and the motion was carried, the curtain falling at 11:10 p. m.

Don't delay a minute. Cholera infantum, dysentery, diarrhoea, come suddenly. Only safe plan is to have Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry always on hand.

List of Questions

Submitted by the

ALLEN COUNTY BOARD OF SCHOOL EXAMINERS

At the Examination Held Sept. 6th, 1902.

Zoology.

1. Classify the whale, spider, oyster, starfish and menemone.
2. Describe the process of digestion in a chicken, camel.
3. Give the various changes in the life of a silk-worm; describe its cultivation and commercial value.
4. Distinguish between the sponge and Venus Astarte.
5. How are animals classified with respect to their eating? With respect to their anatomy?
6. Describe the octopus as to shape, size and habits.
7. What animals have the power of reproducing themselves identically?
8. Distinguish between Zoology, Ethnology and Biology.
9. Compare the respiration of the Hald Eagle with that of the Box Coarstritor.
10. Why does a bird bleed so little, if at all, when shot?

C. L. FESS.

General History.

1. Name the three (3) principal divisions of the Caucasian race and five subdivisions.
2. For what is Ur noted? describe the decline of Chaldeas.
3. What is meant by the "Balance of Power?"
4. Describe the fall of Eastern Empire.
5. Give a brief synopsis of the history of England under the reign of Chas. I.
6. Speak briefly of the Spanish decline.
7. (a) What was known as the Edict of Nantes? (b) The Diet of Augsburg?
8. Compare Richelieu of France with Wolsey of England.
9. The change of the capital of Russia from Moscow to St. Petersburg had what effect upon Russian history? Why was the capital so removed?
10. Give names of at least two eminent men born within the period known as the "Dark Ages" and tell for what each was noted. Approximate dates of birth.

Nat. Philosophy.

1. What is meant by the "Kindling point?"
2. What is that H. P. that can raise 500 cubic feet of water every minute from a mine 123 feet deep? (1 cubic foot water weighing 62 1/2 pounds.)
3. What are machines? Give their general laws.
4. What is specific gravity? What is the standard taken for solids? For aeriform bodies? What is inertia? Molecule? Atom?
5. What is the difference between waves of light and waves of sound? How do we hear?
6. Give Pascal's law of Hydrostatics.
7. What is Thermodynamics? State the first law of Thermodynamics.
8. How would you illustrate the laws of magnetic attraction and repulsion?
9. Of what physical force is lightning a manifestation? Give some plain directions for the construction of lightning rods, with reason for your directions.
10. Suppose two similar conductors to be electrified, one with positive charge of 5 units, and the other with negative charge of 3 units. They are made to touch each other. When they are separated what will be the charge of each?

C. L. FESS.

Botany.

1. Describe the parts of a flower and the office of each.
2. Describe the growth of a plant, and name the organs of vegetation and those of reproduction.
3. Name three kinds of dehiscent fruits, and two of indehiscent fruits.
4. Compare exogens with endogens. Give an example of each.
5. Name and describe five forest trees.
6. What are cryptogams? Give examples of the lower classes.
7. Give common name, family name, genus, and species of two trees and two herbs.
8. How do plants grow?
9. Describe the poison ivy.
10. What have plants to do with preparing the earth's crust for man?

EDWARD FAETH.

Arithmetic.

1. What is the value of a plank 50 ft. long, 2 ft. wide, 1 1/2 in. thick at 2 1/2 cents per foot, board measure?
2. A speculator bought the N. 1/2 of the E. 1/2 of the S. W. 1/4 of section 8, then afterwards purchased the N. 1/2 of the E. 1/2 of the N. E. 1/4, the S. 1/2 of the N. E. 1/4, and the S. W. 1/4 of the S. E. 1/4 of the S. W. 1/4 of the same section. How much land did he purchase? Make a diagram showing the shape of his land.
3. A gentleman wishing to travel to Great Britain exchanged \$1000.00 for English money. How many pounds etc. did he purchase? When he arrived in London, he concluded to go to

France, and then exchanged 100 pounds for French money, what did he receive in French money?

4. Divide \$15,400 into four parts that shall be to each other as 1/2, 1/3, 1/4, and 1/5.

5. How many times as much water will pass through a circular aperture 10 1/2 inches in diameter, as one 3 1/3 inches in diameter?

6. 2/3 of William's money plus 3/4 of Samuel's having been placed on interest for 6 years, 6 months at 8 per cent, yielded \$780.00. How much has each, if 2/3 of William's money equals 1/2 of Samuel's?

7. C's farm cost him on the average \$48 an acre. He gave for 75 acres of it \$60 an acre, and for the rest \$40 an acre. How many acres in his farm?

8. What is the difference between 1/3 of a cubic yard and 1/3 of a yard cubed?

9. At what price per bu. must I sell wheat that cost \$1.00 per bu. in order to make a profit of 25 per cent on the whole, if 20 per cent was lost by waste?

10. Mr. Sonds sold a house that cost him \$435 less than his selling price, at an advance of 15 per cent. What did the house cost him?

C. L. FESS.

U. S. History.

1. Name the state or states of the U. S. that derived its name from its founder.
2. Describe briefly the anthracite coal strike. Who is president of the labor organizations in the U. S.?
3. What was the turning point of the Civil war Revolutionary war?
4. For what purpose or purposes was the General Assembly of Ohio last convened and when? By whom?
5. Write a brief synopsis of R. B. Hayes' administration.
6. What qualifications are required as to residence to represent Allen county in the General Assembly of Ohio? To represent the Fourth congressional district of Ohio?
7. What can you say as to the growth of the cotton industry in the United States?
8. Who has the power to declare war in the U. S.? Who declared war with Spain in the late conflict? When?
9. Why was there no treaty closing the Civil war? What is a treaty?
10. Why is Allen county of historic interest?

C. L. FESS.

English Literature.

1. What is literature? English literature? Name its divisions.
2. What circumstances led to the Norman invasion?
3. Name the leading English literary men of the Lake School.
4. Name the leading characteristics of Robert Burns and William Wordsworth. Name their master pieces.
5. Who wrote "Tales of a Wayside Inn"? Merchant of Venice? The Great Stone Face? Home Sweet Home? Star Spangled Banner?
6. Make a comparison between the writings of Dickens and Hawthorne. Name some of their works.
7. Give a sketch of William Cullen Bryant and name some of his best poems.
8. Give the names of American's most eminent in literature and art.
9. By what did Abraham Lincoln become famous in literature?
10. What are classics? Name some which you have read.

EDWARD FAETH.

Familiarity.

If we could read the secret history of our enemies, we would find in each man's life sorrowing and suffering enough to disarm all hostility.

C. A. GRAHAM.

Geology.

1. Describe the surface geology and drainage of Allen county.
2. What are the causes for the changes of climate of places in different ages of the earth's history?
3. How are rocks and crystals destroyed? How deposited in crystals?
4. Define: Dykes, veins, asbestos, marston, anthracite, foraminifera.
5. Give the origin of marble, graphite, lignite and amber.
6. Classify rocks according to their origin and according to their condition.
7. What ages are included in Palaeozoic time? Give characteristics of each.
8. Name the principal agencies in producing geological changes.
9. What is an ore? Name five important ores and tell where each is found.
10. Whence comes the coal that we find in coal? How long has coal been in use?

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Physical Geography.

1. Name the circumstances upon which the rapidity of evaporation depends.
2. Name the predominant and secondary mountain systems of each of the continents.
3. What is Zoological Geography?

Of what does Orology treat?

1. Compare the drainage systems of North and South America.
2. Name the plants which furnish valuable material for clothing.
3. Classify springs and define each kind.
4. What effect has the temperature of the maximum density of water on the freezing of large bodies of water?
5. Bound the mathematical and physical zones. Why do they not coincide?
6. Of what value are ocean currents?
7. Of what use is the atmosphere in the economy of the globe? What is the origin of winds?

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Physiology.

1. Distinguish between muscular, ligament and tendon.
2. What is the normal temperature of the body? How is the body kept warm?
3. Describe the eye.
4. Do all arteries carry pure blood? Explain.
5. What is glycogen, where is it stored and what becomes of it?
6. Tell how a school room may be ventilated and the air purified.
7. Describe the skin. What is the subcutaneous tissue?
8. Describe snake and insect bites and give the treatment.
9. Why is the use of tobacco more harmful to a boy than a man? Name the effect on each.
10. Tell why alcohol affects the brain and give the three stages of its effects.

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Geography.

1. What can you say about the imports and exports of the United States for the past year?
2. Describe and locate the Sou. Power Canal.
3. Upon what waters would a vessel sail in going from St. Petersburg to Constantinople?
4. Name and locate the continental divide of South America.
5. Locate and describe Toledo, O.
6. Name and locate four provinces of China.
7. Name a prominent river in each of the following countries, stating the general direction of the river and the water into which it flows: Austria, Hungary, France, Brazil, Dominion of Canada.
8. What is detritus? What can you tell about its movements?
9. What and where are the tundras?
10. Locate Hamburg; Trieste; Barcelona; Cape Town.

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Theory and Practice.

1. What is good discipline? Name some difficulties in obtaining it.
2. Name the Gateways of knowledge. Explain why so called.
3. Discriminate between object-teaching and objective teaching.
4. Make an outline analysis showing your method in teaching reading to beginners.
- 5-10. Write a two-hundred-word essay on "Observation a source of thought-material."

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Orthography.

1. What are vowels? Names? Which letters are always vowels? How can you tell when the others are vowels and when not?
2. What are consonants? Their divisions: (a) As to order? (b) As to organs? (c) As to nature?
3. What are the uses of Silent Letters? Example of each use?
4. What are Redundant Letters? Names? Use of each?
5. What are your guides in the spelling of words? In their pronunciation? In their derivation? In their syllabication?
6. Analyze and parse: Preadmonition.

1. Spell correctly: 1. kronical. 6. bandannah. 2. rendezvo. 7. banannah. 3. Mohamedon. 8. bronkitus. 4. inditeble. 9. Meningitus. 5. Savanna. 10. appendicitis.

C. A. GRAHAM.

Grammar.

1. In what ways may the entire complex sentence be the principal proposition? Illustrate each way.
2. Classify the Pronoun according to Prof. Park. According to Prof. Harvey.
3. Name the Parts of Speech according to the above authors. What determines the part of speech? Why then do authors differ?
4. What are Weak Verbs? Strong Verbs? Give examples of each.
5. Illustrate by examples: (a) Demonstrative Pronoun. (b) Distributive Pronoun. (c) Numerical Pronoun.
6. What Parts of Speech may serve as connectives? Give examples illustrating each.
7. Distinguish between Ellipsis and Abridgement and give examples of each.
8. Give the regular conjugation of the verb "study" in the active voice potential and subjunctive modes.
9. Classify the Participle and the Infinitive and illustrate by sentences the different constructions in which each may be used.
10. Diagram: Him the Almighty Power

FIGPRUNE Cereal

Is sweet. No other Cereal Coffee is, unless made so by artificial means.

The sweet in Figprune is the natural sweetness of the California fig and prunes. It is fruit sugar and will not disturb the most delicate stomach.

Give the little folks a warm drink with their food. They will enjoy

FIGPRUNE Cereal

Hurled headlong flaming from the ethereal sky.

With hideous ruin and combustion, down

To bottomless perdition, there to dwell

In adamantine chains and penal fires, Who durst defy the Omnipotent to arms.

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Algebra.

1. Find the G. C. D. of a^2x^2 and $a^2x^2 - ax^2x^2$.
2. Reduce to an improper fraction, $\frac{a^2x^2 + ax^2x^2 - a^4 + x^4}{a + x}$.

3. It is required to find a fraction, such that if 3 be subtracted from each the numerator and denominator, the value will be 1/4; and if 5 be added to each the numerator and denominator, the value will be 1/5.
4. Find two numbers in the ratio of 5 to 7, to which if two other required numbers in the ratio of 3 to 5 be respectively added, the sums will be in the ratio of 9 to 13 and the difference of their sums equal to 16.

5.
$$\begin{array}{r} X & Y & Z \\ + & + & + \\ \hline 2 & 3 & 7 \\ X & Y & Z \\ + & + & + \\ \hline 3 & 5 & 2 \\ X & Y & Z \\ - & - & - \\ \hline 4 & 2 & 3 \end{array}$$

6. A man gave some persons "cents" each, and had "B" cents left; if he had given them "C" cents each, he would have had "D" cents left; how many persons were there?
7. A man in plowing around a square field finds when he has plowed 40 rods from each fence, he has 3/4 of his field plowed; how many acres in the field?
8. A man sold a cow for \$21, and lost as much per cent upon cost as the cow cost him; require cost.
9. A pendulum is swinging a distance of 12 feet measured on a horizontal line, and in so swinging the extreme point raises 2 feet; how long is the pendulum?

10.
$$\begin{array}{r} x^2 + y^2 - 19(x + y) \\ N - Y = 3 \end{array}$$

Find values of X and Y.
C. L. FESS.

An Indication of Nervous Trouble.

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TO ATTRACT COLOMISTS.

Railway to Sell Farms Containing All Modern Improvements.

Passenger officials of the Southern Pacific railway are perfecting the details of the most novel colonization scheme on record, says the Chicago Record-Herald. Passenger Traffic Manager E. O. McCormick of the Southern Pacific is in Chicago on business regarding the project. According to him, a tract of land of 120,000 acres has been secured near Fresno, Cal., and it is proposed to cut the land up into small farms, upon which will be placed all modern improvements before the farms are sold.

The purpose of the plan is to attract persons who have several thousand dollars which they wish to spend in ready made California farms. The land demands irrigation, and irrigation works are to be put in operation on an extensive scale. Creameries are to be established, trees planted and fruits and cereals grown before any farms will be sold. In many cases houses and barns are to be built, and decorative features will not be forgotten.

"We expect in this way to get a high class of farmers for this place," said Mr. McCormick, "and we think the plan will attract those who desire farms already developed. If so desired, a man can buy a farm and have it taken care of by those in charge of the tract."

Owes His Life to a Neighbor's Kindness.

Mr. D. P. Daugherty, well known throughout Mercer and Sumner counties, W. Va., most likely owes his life to the kindness of a neighbor. He was almost hopelessly afflicted with diarrhoea; was attended by two physicians who gave him little, if any relief, when a neighbor learning of his serious condition, brought him a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, which cured him in less than twenty-four hours. For sale by Wm. M. Melville, old postoffice corner.

HERE'S A POINTER

Read it—it's Short—Sharp—And to the Point.

Mrs. A. Hinchson, of 730 north Union street, Lima, Ohio, says: "I needed a good tonic—something that would build me up and invigorate me—tone up the digestion and enable me to digest food as I should be well as steady the nerves. I went and got Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Pills at Melville's drug store and found in them what I needed. They have given me health, strength and vigor, steady nerves and a good digestion—all I can ask and I am well pleased."

Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Pills are sold at 50c a box at druggists or Dr. A. W. Chase Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y. See that portrait and signature of A. W. Chase, M. D. are on every package.

The river steamer "R. C. Gunter" has a poor whistle. The whistle of a river steamer should be good and hoarse, like the rumble of an eight horse circus wagon.

WORKING NIGHT AND DAY.

The busiest and mightiest little thing that ever was made is Dr. King's New Life Pills. These pills change weakness into strength, listlessness into energy, brain-fog into mental power. They're wonderful in building up the health. Only 25c per box. Sold by H. F. Vorkamp, cor. Main and North streets.

If you are so critical that you must find fault, look yourself over. Finding fault with yourself may do some good; you cannot accomplish anything by finding fault with others.

A SHOCKING CALAMITY

"Lately befel a railroad laborer," writes Dr. A. Kellett, of Willford, Ark. "His foot was badly crushed. But Bucklen's Arnica Salve quickly cured him. It's simply wonderful for Burns, Boils, Bites and all skin eruptions. It's the world's champion healer. Cure guaranteed. 25c. Sold by H. F. Vorkamp, cor. Main and North streets."

The first thing after a woman gets home from a vacation, her husband is expected to tell her everything he has said and done or suspicion follows, reproaches when she hears of it afterwards.

For a bilious attack take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and a quick cure is certain. For sale by Wm. M. Melville, old postoffice corner.

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A Pocket Cold Cure. Krause's Cold Cure is prepared in capsule form and will cure cold in the head, throat, chest or any portion of the body in 24 hours. You don't have to stop work either. Price 25c. Sold by W. M. Melville.

Dr. Humphreys.

After fifty years Dr. Humphreys' Specifics enjoy the greatest popularity and largest sale in their history, due to intrinsic merit. They cure the sick.

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| 1 | 1-Powers, Consumption, Indigestion, etc. | .50 |
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| 3 | 3-Tubercles, Cuts, Stings, Wounds, etc. | .50 |
| 4 | 4-Diarrhoea, of Children or Adults, etc. | .50 |
| 5 | 5-Coughs, Colds, Whooping Cough, etc. | .50 |
| 6 | 6-Nervous, Toothache, Headache, etc. | .50 |
| 7 | 7-Rheumatism, Gout, Gravel, etc. | .50 |
| 8 | 8-Haemorrhoids, Hemorrhoids, etc. | .50 |
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OLD SETTLERS' EXCURSION.

The Chicago & Erie R.R. will run the 21st annual Old Settlers' excursion to eastern Ohio and Pennsylvania on Tuesday, September 23. Special train will leave Huntington at 5:30 a. m., Decatur at 6:51 a. m., Ohio City at 7:35 a. m., Lima at 8:45 a. m., arriving at Youngstown about 4:30 p. m. The fare will be \$3.75 for the round trip from all stations, Huntington to Marion, inclusive, to Youngstown and Lisbon and return, and \$4.75 to Beaver Falls and Greenville, Pa., and return. Tickets will be good returning for thirty days on regular trains. The Ohio-Indiana reunion will be held at Warren, Ohio, on September 25th. For information see Chicago & Erie agents, or write W. S. MORRISON, T. P. A. Erie R. R., Marion, Ohio.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of J. C. Ayer & Co.

SUNDAY LAKE SPECIAL.

The L. E. & W.'s popular Sunday excursion train will start Sunday, June 1st, leaving Lima at 7:00 a. m., returning from Sandusky docks at 6:38 p. m.

Rates Lower Than Ever Before.

Sandusky and return 75c. Cedar Point and return \$1.00. See bills.

This service will be throughout the season, or until further notice. 192-1

His Life Saved by Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

F. E. Given, a well known cooper of this town, says he believes Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy saved his life last summer.

He had been sick for a month with what the doctors call bilious dysentery, and could get nothing to do him any good until he tried this remedy.

It gave him immediate relief, says B. T. Little, merchant, Hancock, Md. For sale by Wm. M. Melville, old postoffice corner.

ONE NIGHT OUT TO COLORADO.

The Erie railroad and Chicago & Erie railroad will sell round trip tickets at half rates to Denver, Colorado Springs and Pueblo, August 1st to 10th, 20th and 24th, and 30th to September 10th. Tickets good returning until October 31st. Low rate round trip tickets on sale daily up to September 1st at all Erie coupon stations to Colorado, Utah, Minnesota and Wisconsin. See F. C. McCoy, Agent.

Stomach Trouble.

"I have been troubled with my stomach for the past four years," says L. B. Beach, of Cedar Brook Farm, Greenfield, Mass. "A few days ago I was induced to buy a box of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. I have taken part of them and feel a great deal better. If you have any trouble with your stomach try a box of these Tablets. You are certain to be pleased with the result. Price 25 cents. For sale by Wm. M. Melville, old postoffice corner."

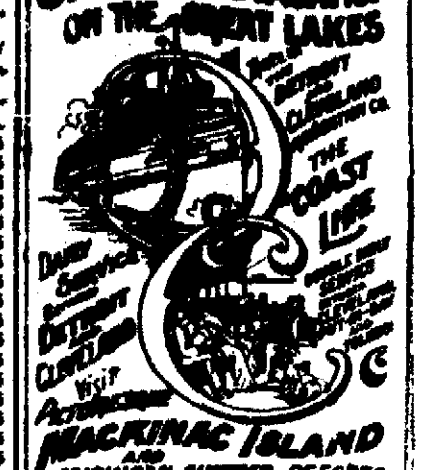
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SPEND YOUR VACATION ON THE GREAT LAKES



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Leaving CLEVELAND, daily, 10:15 p. m. Arrive DETROIT, 5:30 a. m.

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C. H. & D. RAILROAD.

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EXCURSION TO MICHIGAN.

Low Rate For Outings at Mackinac, Petoskey and Traverse City.

A special excursion to northern Michigan resorts will be run via Pennsylvania lines Thursday, Sept. 11th. The round trip rate from Lima to either Petoskey or Traverse City will be \$6.00, and \$7.00 to Mackinac Island. Excursion tickets will be good ten days including date of sale. Proportionately low rates from other ticket stations on the Ft. Wayne route between Alliance and Ft. Wayne. For particulars apply to local ticket agents of the Pennsylvania lines.

Avoid serious results of kidney or bladder disorder by taking Foley's Kidney Cure.

H. F. Vorkamp, corner Main and North streets.

STOOD DEATH OFF.

E. B. Munday, a lawyer of Henrietta, Tex., once fooled a grave-digger. He says: "My brother was very low with malarial fever and jaundice. I persuaded him to try Electric Bitters, and he was soon much better, but continued their use until he was wholly cured. I am sure Electric Bitters saved his life." This remedy expels malaria, kills disease germs and purifies the blood; aids digestion, regulates liver, kidney and bowels, cures constipation, dyspepsia, nervous diseases, kidney troubles, female complaints; gives perfect health. Only 50 cents at H. F. Vorkamp's drug store, cor. Main and North streets.

G. A. R. TO WASHINGTON.

The C. H. & D. has arranged with the Mart Armstrong Post at Lima for special train of elegant coaches and sleepers to go through without change from Lima to Washington, D. C. on account of the G. A. R. meeting. The posts from neighboring towns have been invited, and many have accepted to join them.

Sleeping car reservation can be made by calling upon Mr. F. A. Burkhardt, agent, C. H. & D. R'y., and the rate is \$3.50 for the double berth which can be occupied by two persons.

Remember the coaches and sleepers are to go through without change.

Apply early that you may secure good accommodations.

J. C. WINANS, G. T. A.

CASTORIA.

The Kidney and Bladder Remedy.

Signature of J. C. Winans.

DETROIT SOUTHERN.

Time of trains passing Lima, Ohio.	DEPART.
No. 1, Eastern Express, daily	5:35 p.m.
No. 2, " " " " " "	11:35 p.m.

FIRE WORKS

And Water Works Held Full Sway at the Council Meeting.

Victory for Board of Trustees.

Report Recommending Adoption of the Lost Creek Site for the New Reservoir was Adopted—The Fire Engines Discussed.

The city council met in regular session last night with president Overly in the chair and the following members present: Vorkamp, Haage, Bowser, Newson, Smith, McCullough, Truesdale, Keuthan, Haller, Sherman, Davis and Moses. Mr. Shanahan came in after roll call.

Minutes of the last regular meeting and of the adjourned session held on Friday evening, August 29, were read and approved.

Several requests for storing building material were read and permission was granted.

On motion by Mr. Haller the solicitor was instructed to prepare an ordinance to prohibit the burning of paper or other rubbish in the public streets or alleys.

Petition of the Lima Locomotive & Machine Co. to have a fire alarm box placed at the new shops on the south side was referred to the fire committee and fire department chief.

Fire chief Coates was authorized to attend the national convention of fire chiefs to be held in New York city, expenses not to exceed \$35 to be paid by the city.

Petition for extension of Jefferson street was received and referred to the engineer, solicitor and street committee.

O'Connor avenue property owners petitioned for an arc light at O'Connor avenue and Jackson street. Referred to light committee.

Petition for extension of the Haller street sewer was referred to the sewer committee.

Petition of E. M. Gooding for vacation of an alley was referred to the engineer, solicitor and street committee.

Petition to defer construction of sidewalks of Elizabeth street between Eureka and Kibby streets was read and the prayer was granted.

Petition for an arc light between Market street and bridge on south Pine street was read and prayer granted.

Petition to have grade of a portion of west Wayne street, west of Jackson avenue, changed was referred to the street committee and engineer.

Petition to have Lakewood avenue, between Cole street and Jackson avenue, paved, at a width of thirty-six feet, with vitrified paving brick, was referred to the paving committee, engineer and solicitor.

Petition to have enacted an ordinance to require merchants who have fruits and vegetables displayed in front of their places of business to place such goods so displayed on racks or benches not less than 11 inches above the sidewalks. Mr. Truesdale offered an amendment to limit the amount of space to be used by merchants on public sidewalks. The proposition and the amendment were both rejected.

Petition to have old wooden structure east of new North street bridge replaced by a modern bridge was referred to the bridge committee and engineer.

Petition of P. C. Beck, relative to assessment for west Kibby street improvement was referred to the engineer and solicitor.

Petition from C. D. Murray, relative to an assessment for the east McKibben street improvement was referred to the engineer and solicitor.

Claim of W. A. Carey for \$67 damages due on account of his having fallen into an unguarded sewer trench on south Elizabeth street, injuring horse, buggy and harness, was referred to the solicitor.

Petition of S. H. Jones relative to an alleged excessive assessment for the west Elm street improvement was referred to the solicitor and engineer.

Communication from Ohio Legislature committee on municipal affairs, announcing that Thursday, September 11, had been set aside for hearing on proposed municipal code, was read.

Mr. Shanahan said the matter was of vital importance to Lima as well as other municipalities in the state. He said he hoped to see the time soon when the system of city government should be so revised as to provide the service of good, honorable men to conduct the affairs of Lima in a judicious, careful manner. He thought Lima

should have some competent representative at the hearing to add his mite to the discussion of the new code bill to aid in securing relief from the present system.

Mr. Newson thought it would be a waste of time and money to send any one to the hearing; that only the larger cities would receive recognition from the committee and the legislature.

Mr. Shanahan said Lima and other small cities could expect nothing at the hands of the legislature if they did not make an effort to secure recognition and relief.

Mr. Moses moved to authorize the city solicitor to attend the hearing at the city's expense. Carried.

Communication from the water works trustees recommending that the options secured by them on the lands needed for the proposed Lost Creek reservoir be acted upon at once. The trustees called the attention of the council to the fact that they had done all in their power and had secured options at figures as low as or lower than condemnation proceedings would afford. "The responsibility of the delay or defeat of the improvement now rests with the council," was the closing sentence.

Mr. Moses said that it was now a certainty that the very best proposition obtainable had been secured and well planned by the trustees. The people of the city had voted for the improvement and wanted it and in spite of the disposition manifested by some members of the council to delay or defeat the proposition defined by the trustees he was in favor of acting with the water works board at once and proceed with the improvement. He moved to instruct the city solicitor to proceed at once with the preparation of such legislative measures as might be necessary to authorize the fulfillment of the trustees' proposition.

Mr. Davis and Mr. Sherman contended that the recommendations of the water works board could not be adopted because the bonds, authorized by the vote of the citizens, had not yet been sold and the money was "not in sight."

Mr. McCullough said he understood that the new municipal code bill would provide for the dissolution of the present water works board and the appointment of a new board next spring by the mayor. He thought the matter should be deferred until such time as the future of the present board is determined and the new board is appointed.

Mr. Shanahan said that the very fact that the dissolution of the present water works board was threatened was a sufficient argument in favor of proceeding with the improvement at once. The members of the present board had devoted their time and attention to diligent efforts in investigating the available properties and carefully planning the improvement and were at present the persons best qualified to proceed with it. To await the appointment and organization of a new board would be to begin over, with inexperienced trustees, the work that had already been accomplished.

Mr. Overly said it would be an outrage to "hang up to dry" the present board of trustees whom the people had elected to proceed with the improvement and whom the taxpayers expected to have charge of the improvement when they voted for the bond issue.

Mr. Newson thought it would be folly to attempt to proceed with the improvement while the laws governing municipal government are in their present chaotic state.

Mr. Davis amended Mr. Moses' motion moving to employ a consulting engineer to go over the present plans and figure and to make a survey of the properties immediately east of the present reservoir and to make estimates on the construction of the improvement on that site, and to proceed to advertise the bonds, to be disposed of in blocks as the money is needed.

City engineer Toy said that whatever rights of authority he had had in the work of the water works board, he

tion of the proposed improvement had been taken away from him by the action of the council. He had no disposition to take any part in any discussion to delay the improvement and would decline to take any part in any additional survey or revision of plans.

Mr. Stephens, of the water works board, stated that he could see no reason for the proposed survey of the properties east of the present reservoir, where a survey had already been made, some time ago, by engineer Gamble. He had supposed that the question of site had been settled; that the council was satisfied with the Lost Creek site and the trustees had gone ahead with its work until it was up to the council to provide the authority for them to go farther. He said they had dismissed their engineer and were at no expense in the matter at present and could lay down and wait if it was the will of the council that their hands should be tied. He said that Supt. Cory, of the C. H. & D., had stated that the company was watching the water works proposition closely intending to spend thousands of dollars here in betterments at the railway shops of the water works improvement is made. If the improvement is hung up the company would spend its money elsewhere. He said the plans and figures were on file in the office and the council or anyone else interested was welcome to inspect them at any and all times. The trustees, he said, were willing to answer all questions and explain any detail.

The amendment made by Mr. Davis, to make another survey and report in two weeks, was defeated by the following vote: Nays—Haage, Haller, Keuthan, Moses, Shanahan, Smith, Truesdale and Overly.

Yeas—Bowser, Davis, McCullough, Newson, Sherman and Vorkamp.

The vote on the original motion, made by Mr. Moses, to ratify and adopt the report of the water works trustees and to instruct the solicitor to prepare such legislation as is necessary to proceed with the sale of the bonds and the acquiring the Lost Creek property on which options were taken, was as follows, the motion being carried: Yeas—Haage, Haller, Keuthan, Moses, Shanahan, Smith, Truesdale, Vorkamp and Overly, total, 9.

Nays—Davis, McCullough, Newson and Sherman, total 4. Dr. Bowser did not vote.

Motion by Mr. Newson to instruct the engineer and the finance and water committees to go over the plans and figures now on file, with a consulting engineer, and that survey and estimates be made on the properties immediately east of the present reservoir, for the purpose of investigation to govern the future action of the council, was passed.

Resolution declaring the advertising and sale of the water works bonds necessary was read and passed under a suspension of rules.

Fire Alarm Sounded.

Mr. Haller moved to reconsider the action that contemplated the purchase of two fire engines and the transfer of money from the bridge fund to the fire fund. He said he had voted for the proposition with the understanding that it would reduce fire insurance rates but had since been informed by agents that no reduction would be made.

Mr. Davis rose to a point of order, asking how the motion to reconsider could be entertained by the chair.

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FORMER

Allen County Young Man Dies in Missouri.

Clarence E. Raem, son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Raem, of 885 east High street, this city, died September 8, at Morehouse, Missouri. The deceased was born in Perry township, Allen county, March 6, 1867, and lived to the age of 35 years and six months. He leaves to mourn his loss a father, mother and two sisters. The remains will arrive in this city this evening. No funeral arrangements have yet been made.

MARRIED.

On the 27th of August at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Tracey at Northport, Washington, Miss Elizabeth Flath, formerly of this city, and Mr. John Kennard, of Roseland, B. C.

CLERKS WILL MEET.

There will be an important meeting of the local retail clerks in the assembly room at the court house tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock and all salesmen who participated in the recent clerks' picnic are urged to attend. Business of importance.

Committee.

A. O. E. NOTICE.

A regular meeting of No. 1, A. O. E. this evening at 7:30 in the Duffield block, a full attendance is required by Recording Secretary.

WIRE

Edge to a Dream of Love

In This Case,

According to Mrs. Blumfield's Petition.

Husband is Charged with Choking and Striking His Wife

Who Seeks a Divorce and Now Wants the Defendant Prevented from Disposing of Any of the Property.

A divorce case in which interest is divided between Allen and Van Wert counties was filed yesterday evening by Motter, Mackenzie & Woodcock, and service was had on the defendant Leannan E. Bloomfield, of Van Wert, to prevent a possible encumbrance of property listed in the petition.

The plaintiff is Mrs. Eliza J. Bloomfield, who was married to the above named defendant December 16, 1890, and now gives publicly to the fact that their marital relations have not been like the proverbial bed of roses. To be explicit, Mrs. Bloomfield, to sustain a charge of cruelty says that on December 12, 1901, her husband caught her by the throat and after choking her struck her several times with his fist. At various other times she says he has cursed and abused her.

The defendant has no real estate but is the owner of two horses and buggies, two strings of oil tools on the T. S. Johns farm in Allen county, a paying oil well on the Guyster farm in Van Wert county in partnership with G. B. Watson, 500 acres of oil land under lease, and in addition to the above owns what is known as the Pierson restaurant in Van Wert which is worth \$3000.

Mrs. Bloomfield was granted a restraining order to prevent the defendant from encumbering or disposing of any of the property described until her application for a divorce is heard. As a final consideration she wants a divorce and alimony. There are no children.

Everything Active.

Now that court is so near at hand business in all of the departments of justice is rapidly accumulating and in the sheriff's office in particular all hands are kept going. Deputy sheriff Fleet spent a good portion of the morning serving papers on the south side in several cases that are pending in the common pleas and probate courts.

Replevin Suit.

An action in replevin in which the Star Drilling Machine Co. is plaintiff and J. M. Thomas and the Pennsylvania Company defendants. An indebtedness of \$299.30 is claimed on one of the plaintiff's machines.

One of the Old School.

Judge John G. Stephenson one of the former members of the Shelby county bar died yesterday at Somerset, Kentucky, where he has made his home for a number of years. He will be buried at Sidney, arrangements having been made by the bar association. The deceased was in his 80th year.

Court Briefs.

M. Suamers, Sr., of Delphos, was the guest today of his son, deputy sheriff Summers.

Ex-Sheriff Bogart came down from Columbus Grove today to transact some private business.

Dave Baxter, of Delphos, was a visitor at the court house today.

Ortha Barr, son of sheriff Barr, leaves next week for Ann Arbor to continue his law studies.

A transcript was filed from Justice Reilly's court today in the case of A. C. Wood vs. Ray and Harriet Killian. The plaintiff has a judgment against the defendants for \$18.98 on a grocery account.

Long Drawn Out.

Meyer Kahn has made application to be appointed trustee of Milton Wise, a minor and of Albert Simon, the object being to distribute a legacy left by Albert Simon, who died in 1885. Isaac Wertheimer, of Allegheny, Pa., was the executor of the estate and as such distributed a considerable sum of money to a number of beneficiaries. He resigned the office after having filed separate accounts covering a period of ten years or more, and it seems from today's application that the estate is not yet finally settled. The amount to be accounted for now is but \$777.44.

Real Estate Transfers.

Michael Perry to Jas. M. Boop.



FASHION

FRESH FROM FASHION CENTERS.

News that will interest early buyers concerning

NEW FALL DRESS GOODS.

Dress Goods.

The new dress goods are here. Ready to be talked about, ready to be inspected, ready to be sold.

54 inch suitings in a wide range at 75c, \$1.00 \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.75 to select from. Pebble cheviots in all shades at \$1.25, special.

Waistings.

Wool waistings, 75c values at 58c per yard, special.

Dress Trimmings.

New arrivals for inspection in white, black and colored silks. The best time to buy trimmings is now.

Children's Box Coats. Children's Raglans

FOR SCHOOL WEAR.

We can now show you in our cloak department a complete assortment of children's cloaks for school wear at popular prices.



Dress

Goods.

55-57 Public Square.

Suit

House.



LOEWENSTEIN & WERTHHEIMER.

SALE EXTRAORDINARY

MR. WERTHHEIMER RETIRING.

Owing to the continued illness of Mr. Wertheimer the firm of Loewenstein & Wertheimer will dissolve by January 1st next, Mr. Wertheimer retiring from the business.

Watch for Future Announcement.

Loewenstein & Wertheimer,

28 and 30 Public Square.

COMING HOME.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Frasch Enroute to Lima.

After several years residence abroad, a portion of which period has been spent in the mountains of Switzerland, Mr. and Mrs. George Frasch are about to return to America for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. I. T. Moore at their pleasant home on west Market street. Mr. and Mrs. Frasch sailed from Bremerhaven last Saturday on an ocean liner of the Hamburg Line and expect to reach Lima about the middle of this month.

Imported shoes at Townsend's.

NOTICE.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Lima, will meet with the executive board of Allen county in the parlors of the Y. M. C. A. September the 12th, at 2 p. m., and all others in sympathy with the principals of the W. C. T. U. are cordially invited to join with us to help plan for more aggressive work in Allen county on the lines of organization, preventive, educational, evangelistic, social and legal (ours) in the work for God, home and every land. County president, Mrs. Mary E. Mehaffey; county corresponding secretary, Mrs. Laura Stokes; county recording secretary, Mrs. John H. Hargraves; county treasurer, Mrs. Lydia E. Adgate.